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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

A meeting of the chairmen of the secondary division of the Sunday School Institute will be held at 7:30 o'clock tonight at 606 Cameron street. All members are urged to be present.

Mr. Edmund Willcox has served his connection with the Virginia Shipbuilding Corporation and has been succeeded by Mr. L. D. Christie as acting general auditor.

A large number of members of the Emanuel Bible Class of Christ P. E. Church were entertained at an oyster roast last night at the residence of C. C. Lamond, teacher of the class.

The Forty Hours devotion services which opened this morning at St. Mary's Catholic Church were largely attended. Each night there will be a sermon and benediction at 8 o'clock the services ending Sunday night.

1,0556,55 ARMENIANS SLAIN

Turkish Statistics Show 1,396,350 Deported.

Saloniki, Dec. 6.—M. Khanzadian an Armenian leader and former officer of high rank in the Turkish navy, on his arrival here Wednesday declared that German and Turkish statistics which he saw in Constantinople in 1916 showed that 1,396,350 Armenians had been deported and that of that number 1,056,550 had been massacred. Thanking the Greek Government for its symathy with the cause of the Armenians, he said the Greeks and Armenians should combine their efforts against Turkish oppression.

LOVER MURDERS WOMAN

Turns Weapon on Self, But Failing Uses Butcher Knife and May Succumb to Wound

Philadelphia, Dec. 6.—In a fit of jealous rage Frank Hanes, 44 years old, shot and instantly killed Mrs. George Hartley, 40 years old, in the rear yard at her home, Sixth and Market streets, West Palmyra, last night. Failing to kill himself with the same gun he cut his throat with a butcher's knife and is in a critical condition in Cooper Hospital, Camden.

From what the police can gather Haines, a divorced man, had been paying attention to Mrs. Hartley, whose husband is well along in years. She had wearied of him and decided to cast him off. He brooded over the situation and arming himself with a double barreled shotgun lay in wait for her some time after supper. As the woman emerged from the house the man let drive and she fell with scarcely a moan, the charge tearing a great gap in her chest.

Haines, whose home is a square away from the Hartley's house, ran to a field and fired the remaining charge into his own body. It made a bad wound in his right shoulder. Finding that it was not likely to prove fatal he ran to the home of an uncle nearby, grabbed up a large butcher's knife and fled. He was pursued by Chief of Police Beck and a number of citizens, but when they came upon him, Haines had slashed his throat and was fast bleeding to death. He was hurried to the hospital in an automobile and the surgeons are endeavoring to save him.

RICHMOND THEATRE

Charlie Chaplin will be seen at the Richmond Theatre tonight in his second million dollar picture, "Shoulder Arms," which is described as "a muddy tragedy of trench life." This picture comes to the Richmond before being shown in Washington. If you want to enjoy a good laugh dont miss it.

The extra added attraction will be Fanny Ward in a reissue of "The Cheat."

NOTICE

The up-town ticket office of Washington and Old Dominion Railway is now located at corner of King and Columbus streets in office of Washington-Virginia railway. Tickets are on sale from St. Elmo, Va., to all local points. Take Washington-Virginia Railway cars to St. Elmo.

Washington & Old Dominion Ry. 2-3t.

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INITIATES FORTY-THREE

Alexandria Council No. 5 O. F. A., Holds Class Initiation—Attended by 200 Members—Addresses by Visitors and Others Following Work

More than 200 members of the order last night attended the class initiation conducted by Alexandria Council No. 5, Order of Fraternal Americans, at Odd Fellows Hall in North Columbus street. The degrees of the order were conferred on a class of forty-three candidates by a picked team from Washington.

Following the degree work the visitors from Washington, Richmond and Fairfax and other places were welcomed by James R. Mansfield, state secretary, who presided and introduced the speaker.

National officers attending included John H. Noyes and C. B. Webb.

John H. Trimyer, this city, state treasurer, delivered an address on the interest of the Virginia cottage to be erected for the orphanage of this organization.

Following his address a considerable sum was donated to the project.

Others who delivered addresses included T. E. Skinner, Morris Peabody C. W. McGill, John Simpson and others from Washington.

OLD BOREAS AWAKENS

Fierce Nor'wester Causes Some Damage in the City—South Gable End of Colonial Apartment House Blown In.

The wind blew strong from the northwest this morning, and some of the heavier blasts caused apprehension. Twigs and small branches of trees were whirled through the air and at times it was impossible to wall against the gale. Clouds of dust were sent through the streets, and a heavy sea prevailed on the river.

While the gale was at its height the south gable end of the Colonial Apartment House, on the east side of Fairfax street, between Cameron and Queen, was blown in, and the in roof of the rear portion of the building torn up. This portion of the Colonial was being used as a dormitory, and the demolition of the walls exposed the bedroom furniture. This part of the building was occupied by Sergeant Scott and family. Although a portion of the bricks and mortar fell inside the room, neither member of the Sergeant family was injured by the collapse.

While the wind was "blowing great guns" the whistle of the motor fire engine was heard, causing no little anxiety, as it was realized that a fire while the wind was blowing so fiercely was something to be dreaded. The alarm, however, was caused by burning grass in the vicinity of the Union passenger depot and no damage resulted.

Teh alarm this afternoon was caused by a fire on a lot on upper King street.

ALLIES DEMAND MILLIONS; TO PAY FOR OCCUPATION

London, Dec. 6.—The French armistice commission has dispatched a note to Berlin demanding payment of occupation expenses incurred by the allied armies to date, a Central News dispatch from Amsterdam stated today.

The expenses are said to include $13,500,000 on behalf of the American army, and $10,000,000 provisionally on behalf of the British. Of the latter amount $500,000 will be levied on Duren and the remainder on Cologne.

WAR SAVINGS STAMPS.

War Savings Stamps purchased at $4.23 during December will pay the investor over 4 per cent interest, which is the highest rate of interest received on any security yet issued by our Government, making them the most attractive investment to the public today. They mature in four years, or January 1, 1923, and give both the large, as well as the small investor, an opportunity not only to help their Government, but to invest their money in safety on an unusually attractive basis.

EXCITEMENT AT A BALL

Gathering at Colored Odd Fellows' Hall Last Night Results in Considerable Disorder—Negro Soldier Draws Automatic Pistol.

There was a ball last night at the colored Odd Fellows' Hall on Columbus street, near Wolfe. As is generally the case, the affair would not have been considered a success had tranquility prevailed in the presence of Terpsichore. Several of the attendants men and women, were soon engaged in a mixup, and Officers Walker Campbell and John Kerns repaired to the scene, Edgar Thorp, a negro soldier, had produced an automatic pistol and was about to discharge it into a bevy of men and women when Officer Kerns knocked it from his hand. The officer picked up the weapon and took charge of Thorp, but several other negro soldiers appeared and rescued their companion. A member of the military police appeared at this uncture, and the pistol-toter was recaptured and conducted to the station house. He was arraigned before the Police Court this morning when he denied ownership of the pistol. He was fined $50. After having been locked up a few minutes he stated that he had $44 and if released would soon return with the other $6. He paid over the money and was allowed to leave.

A negro boy and two young negro women were next made to face the court. The boy was charged with carrying a pistol and the women with fighting in front of the hall. The darkey denied having a pistol in his possession although one witness stated that he produced something and members of the crowd warned him not to shoot. He and the two women were fined $5 each for disorderly conduct.

Rows at negro balls and on excursions are generally regarded as the sine qua non of such pastimes. People residing near colored Odd Fellows Hall are always apprehensive when it is known a ball is to be given.

HUNS WANT INDEMNITIES; WILL ASK PEACE CONFERENCE

Germany is preparing to demand indemnities from the allies at the peace conference, according to information in official quarters in Washington.

Damages caused by allied air raids and losses sustained by the interned Germans in entente countries will be laid before the peace conference for settlement along with allied demands for indemnities, it is stated.

"It is clear that Germany will bring forward counter demands at the peace negotiations," one German announcement on the subject reads. "Germans living abroad in enemy countries have also suffered enormous losse sthrough the war, and German property has been destroyed by enemy air attacks."

WANT RETRENCHMENT

Senators Borah and Martin Show Plans to Decrease Expenditure

Demands for retrenchment in government expenditures were voiced again yesterday in the Senate. Senator Borah in bringing up the subject said that "in the first month of retrenchment, November, expenditures reached the highest point since the war started."

Democratic Leader Martin assured the Senate that he believed the country was being brought to bankruptcy and that he had repeatedly urged virtually all department heads to cut down expenses. Secretary Baker had written him, he said, that with the possible exception of Columbus, Ga., all cantorment work had stopped.

Senator Martin added that he did not believe a cent should be spent at Columbus, and that he protested against the expenditure of $2,000,000 for an artillery training camp in the mountains of North Carolina.

Senator Kenyon urged the advisability of calling into conference the heads of the various departments and ascertaining from them how the expenditures are being reduced. Senator Martin said he was in constant touch with Chairman Sherley of the House appropriations committee, who had instituted such an investigation.

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SHOT MAY PROVE FATAL

John Mitchell Colored, Wounded by Charles Whora, Colored—Assailant Escapes Following Affray Staged at Fertilizer Plant.

John Mitchell, colored, employed at the plant of the Alexandria Fertilizer and Chemical Company was shot and probably fatally wounded at the company's plant shortly after 7 o'clock this morning by a colored employe said by the police to be named Charles Whora, alias Thomas Hughes.

Mitchell was shot in the stomach and his condition is reported to be critical. He was taken to the Alexandria Hospital and operated on by Drs. Delaney and Klipstein.

Following the shooting Whora fled and had not been apprehended at late hour this afternoon. The police however, made a wide search for the fugitive.

The police learned, it is stated, that Mitchell first drew a pistol and fired at Whora, and then Whora fired on Mitchell. Bad feeling it is reported existed between the men.

Whora had been employed at the plant only about a month. He is a non resident of the city.

Following the shooting Whora discarded his hat for a cap and hastily left the scene.

POPE CALLS FOR PRAYERS

He Addresses Letter to Catholics Throughout The World.

Rome, Wednesday, Dec. 6.—Pope Benedict has addressed an encyclical letter to the Catholic episcopate throughout the whole world, exhorting them to offer universal public prayers so that Providence may guide the members of the approaching Peace Conference and give the world peace founded on true principles of Christian justice and love among men.

HUNS SOUGHT CONTROL

Peru-Chile Dispute Recalls German Activities in the Falkland Islands

Buenos Aires, Dec. 6.—Difficulties between Peru and Chile over the northern provinces of the latter country, where the world's greatest nitrate deposits are found, recall the efforts of Germany to prevent Chilian nitrates going to British munitions plants at the beginning of the war.

It was this effort that brought the naval battle in the Falkland Islands.

Sailing vessels, until after the war began, were the principal nitrate carriers and, taking the long route around Cape Horn, passed through the Falklands defeated German plans. With which Admiral Sturdee made for the Farklands defeated German plans. The British were there one day ahead of the Germans and the German squadron was defeated and the Allies left in control of the commerce in nitrates.

The Falklands have long been under the British flag, but Argentina never formally relinquished claim to them and appoints a governor for them. Germany in 1913 was ready to back Argentina in forcibly asserting her claim to the islands, through which most commerce between the west coast of South America and Europe passed.

50 Per Cent

of amount of each pledge given in United War Work Campaign was due December 2. Please call or send check to

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THREE MURDER CASES, GRAND JURY MONDAY

The following grand jury has been summoned to meet at 11 o'clock Monday in the corporation court, Judge L. C. Barley presiding, when three murder cases will be presented. Urban S. Lambert, John D. Matter, Joseph C. Gates, John M. Reed, George H. Robinson, R. H. C. Beverley, A. J. Pohl, Thomas D. Carter, Lorenzo Wolford, J. Frank Myers, C. S. Ballenger and Llewellyn Dyson.

APPEAL OF RED CROSS

This Organization Has 500 Comfort Kits to Make—Women Interested Are Urged to Call at 806 Prince Street Next Week And Help.

The local chapter of the Red Cross has been requested to send to headquarters, by December 31, if possible, 500 comfort kits. These kits are to be used by the men who are to remain overseas this winter.

The foregoing number represents part of an order for 25,000 comfort kits which must be shipped abroad early in the New Year. The material for these kits has been furnished without cost to the local chapter.

This chapter has merely been asked to provide the work. All women are urged to come to the Red Cross rooms 806 Prince street Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday or Friday morning of next week and help.

Those interested in the local chapter of this organization say: "This work can easily be done at home in spare moments. We should not let interest in the Red Cross work lag because the Armistice has been signed.

"Our men will be overseas a long time to come and must be kept provided with the necessary comforts. We must not fail in our duty to them now."

FLORIDA GETS AIR BOOZE

Amended Liquor Bill to Provide Confiscation of Machines.

Pensacola, Fla., Dec. 6.—Airplanes have been added to the means by which liquor may not be brought into the State of Florida.

The bill to which Senator John Stokes gave his name and which he prides himself on having made "the most drastic antiliquor law ever framed in the history of the world" has been amended to include machines traveling through the air" among those vehicles which may be forfeited and dispose most of for raiding bootlegging.

Hundreds of aviators fly regularly from half a dozen places in Florida to New Orleans or to coast points where illicit stills are in operation. Gov. Sidney Catts had been told that liquor was brought back on their planes by these men, and that some of them who had fatal "crashes" had been drinking before they went on their last flights. These rumors, of whose truth no positive proof seems to have been had, became so persistent that the Governor urged the framers of the Prohibition bill to extend its provisions accordingly.

Flights to Florida have been made from Philadelphia, some of them in as little as nine hours. Newspaper discussions of these trips and of the possible use of airplanes, when private ownership is again permitted, were also factors in bringing about the new provision of the Stokes bill.

There are rumors that bootleggers would establish airplanes liveries which would carry the thirsty to places in the Everglades where they might drink as they pleased without fear of detection. These also had weigh

Florida bootleggers are resourceful enough already to make these plans credible. Automobiles carry booze into the State in their gasoline tanks. The tanks are divided so that one side carries the "gas jag," and the other carries "jag gas." Rooms in hotels are rented at rates ($10 a night sometimes) that include the booze to be found in the bureau drawers. All the other devices of dry States are being used, and the possibility of employing airplanes to bring in liquor doesn't offend any body's reason.

The Stokes Bill makes it illegal to drink liquor anywhere in the State. It provides for the confiscation of every article of personal property used in the transportation of liquor into the State.

THREE DAYS' MARCH TO RHINE.

With the Americans in Prussia, Dec. 6.—The left wing of the Second division is within three days' march of the Rhine. The whole front to be occupied by the Americans along the historic river is expected to be reached by December 15.

A corps of expert engineers left yesterday for Coblenz to determine the exact area of the bridgehead, to be held by the Americans and to arrange for taking over the railways, telephones and telegraphs.

RAID ON BOOTLEGGERS THE DAY OF RECKONING

Ten Thousand Quarts of Liquor Seized by Washington Policemen Last Night—One Thousand Dollars Bail Demanded of Apprehended Parties.

Ten thousand quart of "bootleg" liquor and 260 Washingtonians who brought it into the city last night were taken into custody by the police in one of the most general and effective raids ever staged.

From early in the afternoon until after midnight a steady stream of patrol wagons brought confiscated suitcases valises and other parcels to the precinct stations throughout Washington and to down town headquarters.

All the cases were treated alike, the apprehended parties being released upon $1,000 bail.

Maj. Raymond Pullman, superintendent of police, personally visited the three principal points which were patroled for incoming trains and automobiles carrying the prohibited wares.

The first general raid was made at Union Station when the afternoon train from Baltimore pulled in. Simultaneously raids were made at Fifteenth and H streets northeast and at the Long Bridge, at the foot of Seventeenth street southeast.

Liquor for Christmas stocks accounted for the large quantities brought in by individuals in many cases.

Those on the Baltimore and Annapolis cars and the Union Station train were topped off that they were going to be arrested when they arrived in Washington and upwards of a hundred "dropped off" it is said. Numerous parcels of liquor were recklessly thrown into the Eastern Branch it is declared by onlookers.

Throughout the evening Police Headquarters was crowded with both men and women who were apprehended by the details of policemen which surrounded every popular entrance from Baltimore.

Maj. Pullman explained that the raids were made on the strength of President Wilson's proclamation made early in the year, clause 12 and 13 of which barred entrance of all liquor into Washington within five miles of certain military zones established.

If the District courts sustain the police authorities in these raids it will mean that Washington will be bone dry.

As Washington has military or naval camps or stations in every section of the city the five-mile zones protect all but two remote parts for prohibition.

BARGAINS OF THE SEASON

The true road to success is to buy well and sell well. A satisfied customer is the greatest asset a business house has. Another road to success is the value of recognizing the worth of printer's ink. Downham and Ridgely, young men of our city, have started right. No store in this city is better equipped for the season's wear than the D. & R. store, corner King and Pitt streets, and certainly no one will entertain the customer with bargains better than either of them, their line of hats caps, neckwear shirts and all the essentials to make one dressy is up to date and extensive. Don't overlook a good thing.

SOME FINANCIER

Forces Fiancee to Sign Over Her Bank Account to His Credit

Detroit, Dec. 6.—Nick Zaris was arrested in a downtown bank yesterday on the plea of Mrs. Anna Bouein.

The woman told the police Zaris had forced her under threat of death to accompany him to the bank and there sign over her bank account to his credit. She wrote a note to the teller asking him to notify the police.

Zaris told the police he and the woman were to be married, and he wished their accounts consolidated. He is held on a charge of grand larceny.

DEATHS DUE TO SUBMARINES.

Fifteen thousand men lost their lives during the war due to submarine and mine warfare, Sir Eric Geddes, first lord of the British Admiralty, announces. Altogether 2,478 merchantmen and 670 fishing vessels —a total of 3,145 craft—were sunk,

Armed Domination of Any One Nation Must Cease—Peace Must Be Based on Justice—Men Guilty of High-Handed Crimes to Suffer.

There is every indication that in his utterances in France the President will make plain his proposition that all come to the peace table prepared to make sacrifices for a lasting peace and that armed domination by any one nation shall cease.

London, Dec. 6.—Sir Auckland Geddes, President of the Local Government Board and Minister of National Service, in a public address, said that the line of policy advocated by the Coalition Government was a peace which, so far as the enemy powers were concerned, should be based on stern justice, and, so far as these men who planned and started the war were concerned, should be founded on justice of the nature meted in the highest courts of the land. Such men as the former German Emperor, Enver Pasha and the former rulers of Bulgaria and Austria would be placed on trial, and if found guilty their lives would be forfeit.

"Men guilty of unspeakable atrocities upon our prisoners and upon the civilian inhabitants of the invaded lands," he continued, "must stand trial, and if they are condemned must suffer death."

It had to be proved how far the commanders of submarines acted under orders, which they had to carry out under pain of death, or how far they acted on their volition, he pointed out, but if the atrocities at sea were committed on the volition of individual commanders, he declared, they, too, must suffer the extreme penalty.

"Today is the day of reckoning for our enemies," said the Minister, "and they will have to pay to the uttermost farthing what it is possible to bring out of them."

London, Dec. 6.—The British naval authorities have decided that it will be unnecessary to demand the return of Helgoland to Great Britain from Germany, Winston Spencer Churchill, the Minister of Munitions, announced in a speech at Dundee Wednesday night.

Mr. Churchill also said the Government had decided upon the nationalization of the railways.

"We enter the Peace Conference," said Mr. Churchill during the course of his address, "with the absolute determination that no limitation shall be imposed on our right to maintain our naval defense. We do not intend, no matter what arguments and appeals are addressed to us, to bind ourselves in any way to any fettering restrictions which will prevent the British Navy maintaining its well tried and well deserved supremacy."

KILLED IN EXPLOSION

Thirty Injured During Series of Blasts at Du Pont Plant.

Pompton Lakes, N. J., Dec. 6.—Twelve men were killed in a series of explosions that demolished one building of the Du Pont powder plant here and rocked the countryside yesterday.

More than thirty men were injured, many seriously. Four explosions occurred in rapid succession in the capital room of the plant where fifty men were employed.

The concussion of the explosions was felt for several miles and men, women and children flocked to the scene of the disaster. The work of rescue and search for bodies was started at once under the direction of company officials. A fire started in the wreckage and was quickly extinguished.

Eight bodies have been recovered, all horribly mangled. It is believed that many of the injured will die. Owing to the calls of the war there is only one physician in the community and it was necessary to move most of the injured to the Haskell Hospital and the Paterson General Hospital after rendering first aid.

Wreckage of the building was thrown several hundred yards by the force of the succeeding explosions. Parts of bodies were found more than 100 yards from the scene of the disaster, the worst in the history of the local plant.

Friction is believed by company officials to have caused the first explosion and the heavy toll of death and destruction.

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MR. GLASS'S APPOINTMENT

The selection by the President of Hon. Carter Glass, of Virginia, to succeed Mr. M'Adoo, as Secretary of the Treasury was read with delight not only by Virginians but by others throughout the country who have long recognized the ability of the Representative from the Old Dominion. Several years ago Mr. Glass delivered an address in the Westminster Building in Alexandria, and those who were present on that occasion will remember his familiarity with the financial questions of that day. Throughout the speech he showed he had made his subject a close study, and he was listened to with attention.

The Baltimore Sun in commenting upon the selection of the Virginian to the important position of Secretary of the Treasury says:

"In the selection of Congressman Carter Glass as Mr. McAdoo's successor as Secretary of the Treasury, Mr. Wilson has at last done something which even the Senate will feel constrained to approve. Apart from the conventional courtesy which might influence its approbation, the record which the Virginia Congressman has made in the House compels the respectful admiration even of the most captious Republican partisan. In every way Mr. Glass has been a strong and notable figure in public life for years, and he has demonstrated especially his fitness for this particular work. In the formulation of the new National Banking system he took a leading part and displayed a grasp of financial theories as well as an acquaintance with practical working details that astonished expert critics and contributed greatly to public confidence in a reform to which there were, for a time, many distinguished objectors. The President has always realized the debt of the Administration and of the country to Mr. Glass for this service—a service which was performed as a public duty and without thought of political reward.

"From a big town like New York to a little town like Lynchburg is something of a jump, but the banking people, as well as the country generally, will concede the soundness of the President's judgment. The bankers have reason to feel confidence in Mr. Glass' ability and fairness, and the country will be rather glad to know that New York is not the only place where good financial timber can be found. We think the President has made a happy choice in the selection of a man who is not only well qualified for his task but who is free from the objections which might have been raised to others."

RESULTS OF PISTOL-TOTING

A negro was convicted of murder in the first degree in the Corporation Court of this city a few days ago. He had, without any apparent provocation, approached and shot to death a man of his own race. Two other negro slayers will soon be placed on trial for their lives, they also having shot to death negroes without any cause, so far as can be learned. A white man, charged with deliberate murder, will also be brought to trial. A fight in the southeastern section of the city this morning resulted in a pistol duel, during which one negro shot another. The wounded man is expected to die.

There was a ball at the colored Odd Fellows' Hall last night. Men and women soon engaged in a mix-up and members of the police force who went to the scene did so in peril of their lives. A negro soldier was about to discharge an automatic pistol into a bunch of people of his own race when a policeman knocked it from his hand and he and his partner took the soldier in charge. Several other negro soldiers appeared and managed to take the prisoner from the policemen, but the appearance of a member of the military police turned the tables and the negro who had drawn the pistol was taken to the station house. He faced the Police Court this morning when he was fined $50.

A negro boy, who was charged with carrying a pistol, was also brought to the bar. It was alleged that several darkeys who had gathered in a fight called on the darkey not to shoot It could not be proven that he had a pistol although there was reason to believe he went to the ball armed, and he escaped with a five dollar fine for disorderly conduct.

Four murders have occurred in Alexandria in about as many weeks, and should the negro die who was shot this morning five such crimes will have been committed. Here are object lessons. Negroes and irresponsible white people are still allowed to purchase pistols at pleasure.

THE REACTION

The desperate effort of scheming Republican politicians and unscrupulous Republican newspapers to discredit President Wilson in the eyes of the people whom he has served so well apparently reached its climax on the eve of his departure for the Peace Conference, and then collapsed like a deflated balloon.

Men of weight in the Republican ranks are beginning to frown upon the torrent of abuse nad to acknowledge the righteousness of the acts for which the President has been unjustly condemned by little minds, and the value of his mission. Of course, this tardy act of justice is not participated in by the Oyster Bay statesman and his local organ; but as there is no historical precedent for expecting decency or fairness from either of them, their persistence in their accustomed course of vilification will occasion little surprise.

The Philadelphia Record strikes the proper key, when it says "the people of the United States owe more to Woodrow Wilson than they can ever hope to repay. They refused to wax enthusiastic over the efforts of envious detractors, the chief of whom has personal ends to serve, to undermine him in public opinion. We rejoice to witness the reaction that is following upon the realization by the ingrates that their campaign of defamation proved to be a flat failure."

COUNCIL WANTS KAISER

German Revolutionists Demand Former Emperor to Face Charges.

Amsterdam, Dec. 6—Strenuous efforts are reported under way, backed by the German government and the soldiers and workmen's councils of Berlin to have the ex-Kaiser brought to trial in Germany before the allies can realize their announced intention to bring him before an international court of justice.

A number of delegates from a Berlin council of soldiers and workmen are said to have reached The Hague presumably to open negotiations with the Holland government for the ex-Emperor's extradition to Germany.

A legal struggle at the Dutch capital between the allies and representative Germans for possession of the ex-Kaiser and probably also the former Crown Prince, thus looms as a strong possibility.

Conditions at Berlin have taken a turn for the worse, according to today's dispatches. Disorder is said to be rampant in the capital.

Washington. Dec. 6.—Holland will not resist the surrender of the Kaiser on the demand of any of the allies, according to a well-informed official here, with connections in Holland.

This authority, however, points out that so far there appears to be no authorized statement from any foreign office that one or more or all the allies intend to make the demand. If it should be made, he said, Holland would at once know that there could be no resistance. The demand, if it comes at all, is expected from Great Britain.

American authorities think the whole question academic rather than practical. They already have expressed the opinion that they know of no law by which the Kaiser would be amenable for criminal indictment. It if possible, of course, that if any of the allies should secure the surrender of the Kaiser by Holland, or if any nation went in and took him by force that nation might deal summarily with him.

It is said Germans who were taken prisoners red-handed in the commission of acts totally at variance with the law of nations were shot in France.

This, however, it is stated, would be a different matter from dealing with the Kaiser. The orderly process would be to ask for the surrender of the Kaiser to all of the allies, and that the peace congress, following historical precedents, should turn him over for disposition to the German government lawfully constituted.

The issue does not appear to be one of keen interest in American officialdom. In fact it is stated that it has not been seriously considered and that President Wilson will hear the first of it, if at all, at the peace congress.

Severe street fighting has taken place in Cologne, the fortified Rhine city which is shortly to be occupied by the British troops now on the march thither. Rioting mobs attempted to plunder food stores and a number were killed in clashes with the military police.

Similar riots are reported from other German cities.

In accordance with the armistice terms, Germany has surrendered to the allies $1,500,000,000 in gold taken from Russia and works of art pilfered in the occupied regions valued at $400,000,000.

Paris Dec. 6.—British, Italian and French representatives have agreed to demand extradition of the former Kaiser, it is semi-officially announced.

CONDITIONS IN PARIS

Prices for Accommodation Have Doubled and Food is Soaring

Paris is filled to overflowing. Prices of all hotel rooms, following the requisitioning of 25 hotels for peace conference purposes have doubled and tripled and are still going up. Food in restaurants and prices generally are similarly mounting.

A breakfast of coffee, bread and butter continues to cost between $1 and $1.50 at hotels. It is virtually impossible to lunch or dine for less than $3 or $4 for a simple meal.

Quarters for Secretary of State Lansing and the other American delegates to the peace conference have been assigned at the Crillon Hotel on the Place de la Concorde. This large hotel has been divided up into suites of rooms for the delegates. Each suite will comprise living quarters and a business office for each delegate and his immediate secretaries.

Each suite is handsomely furnished and has paintings and tapestries. There are commodious baths and sleeping chambers. The delegates will probably dine together in what was formerly the hotel restaurant. All accessories, including the bar have been removed.

GERMANS TRY TO SNEAK IN

Six Men And One Woman Arrested in Paris.

Paris, Dec. 6.—Seven Germans, one of them a woman, who formerly lived in Paris, have found means of returning here but have been discovered and arrested. They had taken advantage of the homeward movement of prisoners and interned civilians from Germany to smuggle themselves into France and make their way to this city. Their plea was that they thought the existence of the armistice permitted their return.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Dobyns, who reside near Forest Depot, Bedford county, have given three sons in the war against the Central Powers, two of whom were killed in battle and the third died in France of pneumonia following influenza.

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Prince Henry of Prussia, brother of the former Kaiser, has issued a proclamation stating that the eldest Hohenzollern has left Prussia and that is therefore incumbent upon him to do everything possible to assist the lawfully elected government. "At the same time," the prince concluded, "it is my duty to stand by the Kaiser and protect him from harm."

HELP WANTED

Help Wanted—Man or boy wanted to work around store. M. Ruben and Son, 601 King street. 288-3t.

Help Wanted—Boy wanted to help on delivery truck. Apply Banner Steam Laundry, 909 Oronoco street. 288-3t

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Wanted—Logmen, watermen and men to handle wood piles for pile drivers, 50, 55 and 62 1-2 cents per hour. Raymond Concrete Pile Co., Torpedo Plant, foot of Cameron Street, Alexandria, Va. 285-tf.

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Men's Night Robes $1.25, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50
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Men's Union Suits, $2.50, 3, 3.50, 5, 6, 7.
Men's Negligee Shirts $1, 1.50, 2, 2.50, 3, 4
Men's Silk Shirts $5, 6.50, 8, 10
Men's Garters pair 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c
Men's Collar Boxes $1.50, 1.98, 2.50, 3.50
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KILLED IN CELLAR

Russian Royalty Murdered by Bolshevik Soldiers.

Amsterdam, Dec. 6.—A new version of the death of the former Czar and his family is published in newspapers arriving here from Kieff, which quote the former Czarina's "valet."

"On July 17 the entire family was taken into the cellar of the convent at Ekaterinburg and shot, one by one," the "valet" is quoted as saying.

"The Czar was allowed to clasp in his arms the Czarina, who was ill, as she was executed. The Grand Duchess Tatiana, who was only wounded by the rifle shots, was done to death with the butts of the Bolshevikis guns. The corpses were burned at the outskirts of the town.

"Grand Dukes John, Igor and Sergius were murdered at Perm."

A saving of $7,000,000,000 of the $24,000,000,000 appropriated and authorized for the army since the United States entered the war will be effected as a result of the signing of the armistice. This was the statement of Chairman Sherley, of the House Appropriations Committee, yesterday, when the testimony before the committee of Secretary Baker and other officials of the War Department was made public.

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Amsterdam, Dec. 6.—The former German Crown Prince, trudging over muddy country lanes in Dutch Sabots, is a familiar sight on the Island of Wieringen, says a correspondent of the Telegraaf. Frederick William declares that what he misses most is a riding horse.

He plays billiards with the villagers and treats them to drinks and smokes and buys candy for the children.

The younger Hohenzollern has his breakfast at 8:30 o'clock and his dinner at 7 p. m. He eats oysters and drinks champagne regularly, unlike his father, who dines plainly. Nevertheless, he is reported to suffer from fits of depression.

Sometimes, according to eyewitnesses, he dons a full uniform resplendent with medals and parades in front of the mirror. He then resumes a woolen sweater and knickerbockers and plays the violin. He is said to have a deep dread of Spanish influenza and takes preventive medicine regularly. He becomes extremely nervous, it is said, when strangers near him make abrupt movements.

NEWS OF THE DAY

Marshal Foch, commander-in-chief of the allied armies, will be invited to visit the United States if a resolution being prepared by a member of the Senate is adopted.

A hurry call for a doctor brought a German physician to Amerongen in a special train yesterday. This gave rise to reports that the ex-Kaiser has been suddenly taken ill.

Bolshevism in Russia is tottering and soon will be wiped out altogether, declares Baron L. A. Korff, of Petrograd, who was deputy governor general of Finland during the Kerensky regime.

Several persons were killed and wounded during riots Tuesday at Cologne, which continued all night, according to reports. Machine guns were turned upon the rioters. The rioters plundered stores.

The transport Orca, with 1,872 troops, two Y. M. C. A. men and fifty officers, arrived yesterday at New York, bringing tales of the most severe weather encountered by any of the transports reaching port this week.

Michigan is in the grip of the worst influenza epidemic in the recent history of the disease. Up to noon yesterday 1,100 new cases were reported. Yesterday 2,100 cases were reported.

Carrying a passenger list of ninety officers and 2,213 enlisted men, the transport Adriatic sailed from Liverpool for New York on the afternoon of December 1, Gen. March, Chief of Staff, announced today.

Veteran divisions now in France, such as the First and Second regulars and Rainbow and New England National Guard, will probably remain there until peace is actually concluded, according to the opinion of Secretary Baker.

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ANNUAL MEETING

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In answer to this we urge investigation and comparisons of our prices. We go a little deeper than we ought to in cutting prices because we are anxious to demonstrate beyond all question that it is impossible for the cash store to undersell us. Watch our sales. Look at the smart styles we show. Behold the enormous selection. They tell a more convincing story than any word we could put in print.

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On the 7th day of December 1918, at ten o'clock A. M., I will offer for sale at public auction on the premises, 604 Cameron Street, one new hot water heating plant, consisting of furnace and nine radiators. This is a new plant and has never been put up or used. Terms of sale CASH.

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Story deals with a man who became infatuated with a woman whom he regards as his soul mate, but whose sanity is restored by a patient, resourceful wife.

VIRGINIA NEWS

Six thousand men of the replacement camp at Camp Lee will be demobilized, beginning this week. The men are mostly from Virginia, West Virginia and Pennsylvania. There are a few from States in the West.

Lucien A. Clarke, well known in philantropic and business circles in Washington, died yesterday after a long illness. Mr. Clarke was born in Prince William County, on November 16, 1856. He went to Washington in 1891 and engaged in the lumber business under the firm name of Carter & Clarke. He succeeded to this business in 1908 under the firm name of L. A. Clarke & Son.

TO RESUME ROAD BUILDING

President Writes Houston That It "Would be in Public Interest."

Washington, Dec. 5.—Early resumption and extension of highway construction is highly desirable, in the opinion of President Wilson, Secretary Houston yesterday made public a letter he had received from the President, stating speedy renewal of road building under the Federal Aid Road act "would be in the public interest" and expressing the belief that an additional apropriation should be made for that purpose.

Secretary Houston also made public a letter from Secretary Baker in which the War Secretary asserted that the War Department will continue to cooperate with the Department of Agriculture in the building of roads.

WILSON TOLD OF PEACE MOVES

Substance of Recent Discussions Cabled Before President Sailed

London, Dec. 6.—The substance of the discussions in London early this week between the representatives of Great Britain, France and Italy with regard to the coming Peace Conference were cabled to the American Government and it is believed the messages reached President Wilson before he sailed for Europe Wednesday, thus putting him in possession of full information regarding the conference.

Reuter's Limited says there is reason to believe the President's advisers are of the opinion that the views of the conference regarding former Emperor William are likely to coincide with those of the President himself. Responsible opinion, says this news agency, holds that the ex-Emperor and other persons guilty of breaches of international law during the progress of the war should be dealt with by a tribunal of the associated Governments, including representatives of those countries which suffered most.

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At the request of stockholders of the Hughes' Market, Incorporated, holding in excess of 10 per cent of the company's capital stock, a special meeting of the stockholders of the Hughes' Market, Incorporated, will be held on the 18th day of December A. D., 1918, at the principal office of the company, at the office of Gardner L. Boothe, Alexandria National Bank Building, Alexandria, Va., at 3.00 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing officers, electng a board of directors, receiving and acting upon the reports of the officers, for the purpose of ordering an audit of the company's books, records, and affairs, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated the 25th day of November, A. D., 1918.

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*Except Sundays and Holidays.

†Except Sundays.

Leave Alexandria for Mt. Vernon. A. M.—†5.35, 6.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55, 11.55. P. M.—12.55, 1.55, 2.55, 3.55, 4.55, 5.55, 6.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55, 11.55

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